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Classified By: A/Political Counselor Jeff Hovenier for 1.4 (b) and (d)

(C) A/Political Counselor and German Embassy Counselor Knut Zuchan met March 26 with Ambassador Iraklis Asteriadis, Director of the MFA D2 Directorate for NATO and WEU Affairs and Greece's HLTF Representative, Theodoros Daskarolis, to deliver reftel points. Asteriadis and Daskarolis said that Greece welcomes and supports the U.S./German proposed statement on CFE and will make this support clear at the March 27 HLTF. Asteriadis added that the text is "fine, just as it is."

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